



PATENT

Docket No. 2026-4116US2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicants : Bukh, et al. Group Art unit : 1631
Serial No. : 09/084,691 Examiner : Zeman, M.
Filed : May 26, 1998
For : NUCLEOTIDE AND DEDUCED AMINO ACID SEQUENCES OF THE ENVELOPE 1 AND CORE GENES OF ISOLATES OF HEPATITIS C VIRUS AND THE USE OF REAGENTS DERIVED FROM THESE SEQUENCES IN DIAGNOSTIC METHODS AND VACCINES

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. §1.136(a))

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing Response to Restriction Requirement.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested

is filed herewith.

has been filed on _____.

3. Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status. Small Entity Statement is attached.
 Statement has already been filed.

	<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Other than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
b. <input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$390.00	\$195.00
c. <input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$890.00	\$445.00
d. <input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,390.00	\$695.00
e. <input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$1,890.00	\$945.00

- f. An extension for _____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due

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for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ 110.00), minus the fee previously paid (\$) equals \$ 110.00 (total fee due).

5. A check in the amount of \$ 110.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 2026-4116US2 A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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